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THE NORTH-EAST FRONTIER OF BENGAL.

The hills which border either side of the Assam Valley are the habital of various worlike and uncivilized tribes with whom, since the close of the first Burmese war, the Eartish Government has had more or less to do. With those dwelling on the Sub-Himsieran ranges, we have not on the whole cultivated intimute relations. There was little to gain by doing so. There was work to be found elsewhere. Our chief attention has been concentrated on that great mountain system which, commoneing where the Brahmaputra thems anddenly to the south, interposes between Assam and the regulation Districts of Mymen sing, Sylhet, and Cachar,—a broad and well nigh impenetrable belt of hill and plateau. These ranges next run cast and north, filling up the angle between the Brahmaputra and the Irrawaddi. Then turning southward they border the Irrawaddi Valley on the west through 12 degrees of latitude to its mouth at Cape Negrais.

The River Monass, vising in the Bootan Hills, falls into the Brahmaputra nearly opposite Gowalpare, and torms the western boundary of North Assam, separating the District of North Kamroop from the Cooch Behar Commissionership. The Bor Nuddi, which meets his Brahmaputra opposite Gowhatti, divides North Kamroop from Durrung, and this again is separated from North Luckimpore by the River Kuboojan.

The bills which form the northern boundary of the three Districts we have named are shose in which we may begin our survey of the North-Eastern Frontier. We do not propose to couch upon the general relations subsisting between our Government and the Government and the Governments of Nepal. Bhutan, and Sikhim, because those States are in no, sense subordinate to us. We are in no way responsible for their management, and our intercourse with them is confined to limits laid down by Treaty. We decline absolutely to admit that we have at prosent a "Mission" to these cations. They are as foreign to British India as are the men of Aighanistan. The Cooch Behar Commissionership has to do on the north only with the three States abovenamed, and hence we have commenced our task on its most easterly border.

North Kampoop Sharens,—Indeed, we might almost have passed by the District of North Kampoop also masmuch as the only hill tribe with which its authorates come in contact and the Bhuteas of the Kampoop Dwars, or Passes.

These Dudes are five in unmber-Bijni, Chappakamur, Chappaguri, Banska, and Chuckulea. On our taking possession of Assam, we found them in the hands of various Bhutea --Juasmens, who paid a nominal tribute to the Assam Rajah. But as every authority in Bhulan does what is right in his own eyes until he is made to do otherwise, it may be supposed that the payments to the imbecile Native Government of Assam were not particularly regular. A system of gang robbery too had been organized under the auspices of the Chuten. Soubales, by which the ryots of the low country were kept in a state of constant alarm. This state of things continued for some time after the British Government had assumed the management of the District. Numerous punitory expeditions and many fruitless negociations were undertaken. Unable to realize a state of complete anarchy where all the forms of Goremment existed, we always believed that could we but reach the central authority in Blintan, the peace of the bouler might be effectually secured. It was not, therefore, till 1841 the Covernor General became convinced that more decisive measures were required. In that your thin whole of the Assam Dwars, comprising about 1,600 square miles of territory, were the well to British India. The Jungpens, who had latherto drawn their revenues from the Duars, were thus deprived of their means of subsistence. Our choice lay now between making these men desperate fees or converting them into harmless stipendianes. A sum of Acapees 10,000 per annum was accordingly paid to the Bhuteas as compensation for these resummed lands. Time showed the wisdom of the step. North Kamroop for twenty years suffered only from the devastations of its rivers. How the peace of the frontierwas broken by the just retribution exacted by the British Government for outrage committed on the side of Bongal, it is not necessary here to tell. We need only note that masmuch as theoretically ins allowance for the Assam Dwarsawas made to the Contral Government, its dishuraement was at once stopped when was broke out. On the return of peace a similar arrangement was made for the whole of the Bhutan Dwars, and the Assam allowance merged in the general breaty grant, which is paid only to Officers deputted by the Central Government. At present the hope that this support would create a strong control power in Bluman has not been restized. The outlying Chiefs who formerly shared in the unstribution of the supend, or rather levied their own shages therefrom as it passed through their hands, now find themselves overlooked. They fortunately have had too salmary a lesson to venture to reindourse themselves in British territory, but swooning down on the unfortunate Deb and Dhurm Rajahs at Head-Lumsters, they have reduced the bottomy to a state of anarchy and confusion, in which all British interference be ha red, an invasion from Thibetemould be rather a boon

Observed -Crossing the Box Nuddi in our eastward progress we enter the District of Universe. This District has five great local divisions, Desh Dirring, Chatgari, Chutes, Chardwar, and Nowdwar. Desh Durrung and Chutes hie to the south of the District upon the Brahmaputra; and with them we have here no concern. North of Desh Durrung lies Chatgari, and in the country between Chatgari and the hills are the Dwars of Kulling, Buriguma, and Kuriapara. Kulling and Buryama, with the

to the Dewangiri Esjah and the Lauges Penko, and nomically to the Central Government of Blutan. But while the Kampoop Douars were entirely under Elution control. Kalling and Burigums were held by the Floriess for only eight months in each year, and by the Assau. Rajohs for the other four. The consequences to the unhappy cultivators of such a mode of an agreement may easily be imagined. These Dwars were resumed along with those of Kampoop, with the same happy results.

Thibet Bhuteas.

Bhuteas, who are locally the dominant race, are subject to a body of Chiefs known as the "Sath Rajaha." and these again our eliegiance to the Towang Rajah, who is himself a tributary of bhassa. Here then the Butish frontier in Assam may be almost said to march with that of Thibet. The Both Rajaha, after their manner, oppressed the helpless Cachari and Assamese ryots of the plains, and in 1844 the British Government bought out the Bhutea claims for an anamal sum of Rupees 5,000.

This Dear forms the great avenue down which the hillmen pour to the celebrated hir of Udaigiri. "Sixty years ago," writes the present Commissioner of Assam, "the trade between Thibet and Assam by this route was estimated to amount to two lakes of Repress per annum, and this though Assam was then in a most unsettled state: and up to the time just price to the Burmese invision, the Library merchants brought down gold to the value of Rapres 70,000. The occupation of the country by the Burmese, however, killed the trade, and in 1863 only two Thibatan merchants are said to have come down, but since that period there has been a gradual revival of it which even our late quarrel with Bootan did not interrupt, and it has now every appearance of being flourishing and on the increase.

There of the Thibeten traders. I found men among them from all parts of Thibety from themses, and other places east and west, and even north of it. Some of them looked like Chinamed, they were Chinese dresses, ate with chopsticks, and had about there various writche of Chinese manufacture, as pipes, strike a lights, and embroidered purses, such as I have seen in use among the Chinese at kangoon and Monlinein; they were accompanied in some cases by their families, and carried their goods on sturdy ponies, of which they had a great number/I should think some bundreds."

This promising avenue of Central Asian trade will doubtless attract ere long the attraction which it merit. The annual stipped of the Sath Rajahs is spent at the fair, and finite its way he the shape of catton and other goods towards llowing and blusses. In 1862, one of these Rajahs, called the Gelling, and to our protection to avoid certain domands of his Thibeton reperiors. A Tartar army was pushed up to within a few miles of our frontier, and but for the resolute face shown by the local British troops, Assaw would once more have

been the Seid of a great mension. These facts we somewhat impiga to the subject, but they tire worth antings

The extensive division of Char There is said to have taken its name from its having heen sumually spoiled by four different races, the Assameser Independent Bhateas the Birniegs, the Akhas, and the Duphlas. The Bhirtees here ... mund are the subjects of the Sath Rejaber of Reopeni Ginw and Sher Cohw, all of whom are submillimate to their principal Chief called Dunice Rajah. They claim to be nuk-pi-nient of Thwarer. From 1889 to 1844 the British Government excluded them from entering the Dwies to tendo, as a punishment for outrages committed by them. On there . submitting, they were granted moderate pensions in lieu of the black mail which they, like the other hill tribes on this frontier, used to levy on the roots,

The most easterly fribe of Bhusens are the Thobengess. They live in the interior of the hills, and foreignly levied black moil in Char Their along with the Roopent Bustons. A birth in feurt however eprang up between those whies, and for years they only entered Assam to trans, well the Kurlapars. Dwar. Their annual visit to purchose goods was made to a mancalled Mashall in Class Duft. Their chief village is sold to be sixteen days' journey from the plains. They receive a small namual pension of about Rupees 140.

The Akhus see the people whom we next ment. They are of two septs: "(L) The Hazari Khawa Aklias—the reaters . Thousand hearths." Althay. (3.) The Emphicher Akhas-The "thieves whise land amin't the contou plants." These are a most effergetic and savage: inibe, who for twenty years spread terror throughout Durring, while with the aid of the Bierchie, a berce and regulate race in the interior, they defind the power of the Toward Engine vir the hills. Both father of Akhar together did not in 1844 nominer over 2007 Englisher while the Alcockis were said to amount to theer or four hambred households. Who House whaves levied "Pose" or black mail on the glover, and not the conwho refused their demands The Rappachors were horized on more a midant and though they had no quasi legal chains to "Posa" you the name of their Charle Wingh or Thangs Rajale was a words of power mong the border, a bugbear with which to frighten the village children. In 1829 this formidable freelmour was captured, and for four years kept chine in Gowharty Jait. In 1833; however, the Governor General's Agend released kim, in the wea hope that elemency might senait hilelity. He fled to the bills, rathed his broken dark par to death all who had been in any way, concerned in his suplicate und-brought his career to its climaeteric in 1835 by untiling up a British out post at Balcepara, masacring therein men, women, and children. For seven years after this herevoled capture. and matribe remained buttawed in the jungles of the hills. At hogh wears or bring housed he surrendered. To have slain him judicially the cold-blood would have been of little use. The inflaence with that of the other Chiefs, who also at tius time came to was made

[&]quot; The agreement with the Koriapan Flavour will be found at page 135, Ved, 1, of Albebraic Trest in

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use of to secure the future peace of the Char Dwh. Small pensions were greated. Solvant paths were sword; "the Chiefs taking into their hands the skin of a figer, thus of a bear, and cheshant's dung, and killing a towl." To tay Akhas' credit be it said, the paint have been hept. The arrangement cost Covernment Rupees 300 per anatural.

. The last of the Derrung Hill tribes is the Duphlas, who are found also in East, Luckimpore. The Duphles are not so which a single tribe as Duphlasa collection of numerous cognate potty claus, independent of cacit other and quite incapable of combined action. In the time of the Assam Rajalis they had however established a system under which certain plain villages were allotted to each clan, to which it paid an annual visit for the purpose of collecting stated dues of black mail. From each freeman's house they took goods and cash amounting in value to Rupees 8. The Cachad slaves paid 5 Rupces each family. For some years after our taking possession of Assum the Duphlas were a constant temble. Their flarless raise and numberless air reinis compelled the establishment of a line of Military posts all along the frentier; and it was only after long, and tedious regociation that in 1830-37 their chains were communed for money mayments to the Gams or Chicis, amounting to about Empass 2,500 The result has been perfectly satisfactory. The Duphlas have many of them and lot permanently in the plains and become peaceful cultivators in the ciliages there once hauried.

The Pose" or black mal which, under the Assam Government, was paid to most of the hill tribes hordering on the plains, was not, as has been sometimes imagined, an uncertain, ill defined exaction depending entirely upon the rapacity of the different hordes who might descend to levy it, but was really a fixed well ascertained revenue payment, on account of which accorresponding emission was made in the rent of the two satisfying it. Whether it arose from pre-existent claims in the soil asserted by the hillmen, or was imposed originally by them in the days of the weakness of the Ahom Kings, we cannot tell It indeviated time out of mind, when we annexed Assam, and what the British Government hid was a stop the direct collection of the stated dues from the ryots by the hillmen themselvs—a practice which, as might be expected from the characters of both, led to many quarrets; and to pay the amount to the tubes in the hills of at established maris, collecting at the same fine the full rent from the ryots. The power of the purse being thus held by the same authority who wielded the power of the sword to the terror of evil doers, the hill tribave accepted regular payments, and peaceful lives, in lieu of wild tex gathering forays and quarrels on the pinins.

Lughimpore.—The Division of Luckimpore Proper, which we now enter, lies between the Rivers Enbergan and Dehing, and is intersected from north to south by the Ruser Samushirat

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Training the 's to Ben years, the relations of the British Government with the Above have been not allogether satisfactory. In January 1868 the Box Mayong Aboxs Bring far up the Belling massacred a Becah" village on the north of the Brahmaputra, only six miles from Debroogher. An expedition was presently despatched to follow-up the tautors has owing to the extremely inagressible miture of the country and some misuakes on the part of the Oslicers conducting the force, in did not succeed in reaching the did ading. willego, and retured not without difficulty, and with some loss of credit. The Bee Meyongs Decreing bald by intounity took up a mare infranced position towards the plains. and if became also held necessary to devise, some means of punishing their involves and The section of Proposition of Proposals for establishing a line of posts with a combesting road were submitted to Covernment, and it was determined to compute un expedition into the hills on such a scale as should infullinly commonly encess. Meantines the Meyte After a literal, class that officed to Bearing the medium of communication between no and the Meyenre. Nothing however ence of this, as it was impossible for Government to todiscription the events of the must, or to necept anything but a complete submission to such forms we is magicable late. In November 1858 the Scoretary of State Torusal any according into

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The hills which close the north-east corner of the Assem Villey are inhibited by various tribes of Mishmess. Letwern the fact of the hills and the firitish Onl-posts stretches a broad and deally belt of once some twenty miles deep, and through also run to paths by which the Mishmess come to purchase salt and cloth at our established marts. We have no formal agreements with any of these tribes, and our information regarding them is come aratively scaute. They were are curious to know more about their habitat, must refer to No. XXIII. The unblished selections from the records of the Bengal Government, and to volume XVII of the Assale Society's Researches. We are acquained with three great branches of this tribe. The Challette or crop-haired Mishmess. We are told that in 1856, the Mechaes, aided by a Lama for a attacked the Tain Mishmess and devascated their villages. Of other tabult movements in the interior bills we know little or a string.

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⁽Sda) H. S. Brygu, Mojor.

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vidence where they were avoiding percenssion to proceed fember. The motive of this murder viss simply a desire for plander, as one Missionards were linewn to have with them much visionable bugginge. The news consided Assam in Moyember. It seemed almost hopeless to · all stant to punish the nondeters. But both the Total Officers and Government felt that to a realbook smale a deed, committed the ugh it was to Thibe! itseld would injure our prosting with all the breeze cribes. The acighbouring Mishmeet themselves fileged he to reinbute a, and the cell that dois descegarded. Amerdingly in the fatter only of February 1805 a little body of themay Assam Light Infantry with forty Khamptes Volunteers, under the communication of benerant fiden, entered the bills. For eight days, they pressed on and up, swinging the melves across dangerous torrents on bridges of single canes, climbing for hours ar a time in bitter cold, and without water; until at length about four o'clock-one in thing they arrived at Kai-ec-sha's village. To carry it in face of a flight of poisoned acrows we the work of five minutes. Kai-ee-sha was taken alive; his sons fell fighting his dangulers surrendered; his village fled; and the triumphant little band retired more slowly to the plains, outling away the bridges behind them as they passed. This brilliant exploit has not yet been forgotten in the North Eastern Hills by the Tain and Mezhoo Mishmees. The Chalkatta, however, have now and then prive trouble. They seem indeed more hopelessig savage that any other tribe, and for years they perpetrated a series of outroges upon the Sugara vidages.

In April 1855 three servants of Lieutenant Eden's were carried off by the Chulkattas, but were recovered through the agency of a friendly Chief. Towards the close of 1855, the same ribe made a sudden attack upon a village hear Suddya, killing two and kidilapping others of the inhabit ats. Again friendly dislimages came forward to recover the captives and punish the aggressors. The Chulkattas were common fors to all. In January 1857, another was made by them, and a village cut up within hearing of the Sepoy guard at Saldya, who made no effort to drive them off. "While measures were being or and for panitory prodifical, the briting broke out, and all such undertakings were postported. In October I'7, the Chalkattas rendered and is imponity again sacked an outlying house. The most lie after flier massacred the Lhamptee village of Chowkeng Gohain, while most of the maiest were away with the Assistant Commissioner establishing outposts to check their attacks. Stealing through the jungles and watening their opportunity, these wreiches, who have rainraffy the greate of the arms, murde of wonden and chiappeased before on, grands could read, the some of the acrocky. Enquiry showed that this affack on the Educations was designed as revenge for the death by cholera of some of the Cholkain chair the continionally while by Chamberry Countin. This last outrage remainship belongues system is their own defence, and suprily offerwants the Mashanes were more turn and daison back. while loss when advancing down the jumps paths towards the village to

Again, in the beginning of 1866, the Chulkatta Mishmees attacked the village of Chowkeng Gohain, and though beaten bil with loss, yet left their mark beand them. Arms and been copplied to these Khamptee villagers by Government, and they were as a rule well into the left. Themselves. Government now, however, approved of a more extended scheme village defence. A good Frontier Militia was better fitted to keep these savages in check than any number of regular poets, and a Khamptee Golony was forthwith settled at an aircanced spot towards the Dikesing, a certain number of its mainthers being fully armode for its mainthers being fully armode for its defence. Since this was done, the Chulkatta Mishmees have the promble.

this seculs a good phase to review gonorely the policy of Generalier towards the tobes. of the porther, boundary of Asso.a. We have seen that as regards those tribes who as : long established dame upon the plains, that policy has been one of har and compable. dealing. White mattraming a force strong chough to punish any wanten aggressive, we have refigured required entry one cressors fors, and have sempalously made good so it?... hillmen all that of which mondeprised them by assuming in government of Assam We have, however, made then clearly to know that the payment of their dues is contingent on their good hehavious such that the strong arm of Eritish power is for ever interposed between them and the ryots they wice oppressed. It the same time we have we comed them as exitivators, in the plains, and we have seen whole communities of border bandits settle down. into peaceful tillers of the soil. Not a trace of a policy of extermination and repression? can be found by the most bitter enemy of the English in India. The sound sense on which these arrangements are based is stamped, moreover, with the scal of perfect success. A corresp. and Darring have for years been as undisturbed as the 24-Pergornahs. Nor is the ease much altored when we come to the wilder trabes living near Luckimpore. He was a saul nothing of the Singphoos and Khamprees, who are sealed in large numbers on the ferrile plains of that District. We need only now mention the. Mins who seem destine to hold all the District porth of the Brahmagnera. But even as regards the Abors, a ferre and uncouth race with whom we have been brought into sharp conflict, we find little to car at in the policy prostled. We freely admit that we may any day see ourselves involved in war with the Abers and perhaps the Miron. To is the work of the to make such savages. understand a policy of conciliation, and the time has he have been done in the decimal with themsthe first necessity is to ensure that theigh and now occase us. There exist you chapent for our outmore must be and usically has been samming and severe. But our data of a sholehas been conciliator). Some are disposed by scoff at the commitante of this police, bed to deride the Covernment for indeavouring to conceal what these critics coil a weak system. ef ordery under the name and prefence of payments for Police service. Now, it will be remembered that the beymen's to the Abors at any once are not money payments to the Chiefs, but payments is kind so the whole continuative. Where the constitution of a rest. is patriarchal or aristogratical, payments to the Chuck suffice. There is no difference in principle, but the variation in the expression kows what the principle really is. It may be spieling doglik is frie in in the states of for the curas of paid no organized Privat Pelice. This ent is Light his high the Light it was never excepted that they would separate Chows. kender in god imbans and locan diese in well bund station bouses. But what was expected wast that they would author their own rule means of securing a quiet from ier, and mould tobe such steps as were hi their judgment or researy, and in accordance with their unbal cogani-Lation to prevent the evi disposed introng in tribes from doing any not which in confermity with the understanding thiler which the payment is made, they are bound to internal in a marker of last, we have evidence from the mouths of the Abors thousehes, that the desired There was produced in the very first you of the agreements, and an attack on the toys proposen by some tribes was parcented by the rest. The following possages then buy the to be on thus dealing with these tribes was put by Government in 1865.

the essential literance between "black mail" and the annual allowances poid to the eshers is this, that many one case the forbearance of the surage tribe is made by ment conditional on payment, of the supulated allowance, and in the other the payment of the

allowance is made by us conditional on the good conduct of the write. The one is infraced in asspirit of constanton.

change as of the Volumbal Hills, who had previously been the terror of the surremaining country, whose same size Ministry expolitions had foliod to snodue, not who, under the operation of an annual payment conditional on good configure, have remissed perfectly must condition of an annual payment conditional on good configure, have remissed perfectly must conditional or entire. It is true than the amount of the allowance part in the Raphical full Chiefs is considerably present than the value of the presents made to the Abors, but the principle is the same, and is as certain to be officialised in one case as it is in the conditionable the allowance to sufficient to compensate the tribe in their own estimation for the educative H y ringle gain by the measural printer of a border value—in advantage with they west known is materially qualified by the risk of reprisals.

take service in the Police and that the hill tribes generally should be employed in this manners or after a certain degree of training and education; not only are they by their physique better qualified than the people of the plains for most of the duties required of the Police is frontier Districts, but their employment sets from the police is frontier Districts, but their employment sets from the police of the matters.

The supposed that their diviliration is to be affected in a few years, and no one expects that the reddenvolving to conclude their the floverament will not meet with occasional a suppointance, but the policy is none the less on this necessary sound and intelligible.

While the angles of the Nishmor terbes we have had none but casual trading interesting. The Most one or remote to interest as directly, and they do not in any way makes us. The Combinetes appear to the at fewl with all the other tribes, and owing to the difficult mature of their contract, we assist to state on good system of tallage defeater and to the good office. If the other other operator of places their accasional invoads. They are not distinct to appear their policies, and appear above the defensive.

to is not open to as on the Abor frontier to have recouse to the policy of permanent occupative and lired management, which we shall had so successfully carried out in the Kana Sorrow, Constant Spacesh, and Chategoog Hill Tracts. To annex the Abor Hills would only uning us into control with tolles still wilder and less known, nor should we find a policy place for the took of annexation gall we planted it on the placear of High Asia And then?

Our paperhore besieve we mught do much to seeme by running foads along the interpolation the brevious but the cost would be enormous, and while there is such to soon any for communications within our settled Districts, we should not be warranted in energing even one more de-suc into the Abor or Mishnese Halls.

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The Naga tribes living immediately on the burders of the Sibsague District have seek generally well behaved since they entered into agree an its with Captain Bredie in 1841-44. They feelinger the hi in tourkets regulary med handing, to exclude the effect that Nagasta the upper hills. The charm's of mais appear indeed a least alean so sign a hold or the claus in the quarter, that it is almost the only mention on which the of closing the baths on occurrent us actual or or outless by bishum is specific till also in surrender of the guilty parties. In April 1861 the Dwars were closed to be in the order of the Commissioner of Assam, in consequent fof the mirder of me To a Carban in the Gelaki burr. In February following, the Nangola Nallas, who seem not luance to us to be the guilty tribe, surrendered fire of their nambles as owner who had min micros the univier. This, it appeared they did under pressure handle it see on. Part in the Nages of Tableany, Jaktoong, Kansang and Namang, who benut the te-There is not by the charter of the Dwenter threatered treatering the Note with the fill the fill the gion as the oftenders. In Mand 1862 a muder was committee ? Wayob The some of Sheagur by Bastora Nagas; and at the ciese of the some month the good bear to Croffalls Brail was burn't flower by a randing onely belonging apparation to see of the interior brines. To was never, however, distance of here and the continue of The late Covernor forbade the cluster of the Dwars.

Some alarbigues felt affilies disturbances on a usually tranquil part of the frentier: and when the 1866, he was not and that he trading per week wandering about Schan to minied; configury is conston, with spears and staos, stringent come with the instrument temporarily Baggas who passed the Police our-post. In amber 186, the broken gard-lichtese was eigen affeitet at night, and some of the constables killed. This of the theated much excitemen andh; the Endopean settlers of the fire of the way Restaining Lessemon by a sousement affack report a clique to the off. Fore westing whose of was suggested to account longing outpreak. Every known that the surper out is their the Officer thought the probabilition for any aper the market non a reciving to do was the well. A torisen was criff like that the encroachinents of Ten Prievers of the lills seem to retition. all the realier tribes. I fluid thought the survey operations had excited their to prepare The Dwars were at our rate closed to trade the outsposts completed, and neglected applicades has no realized. The stoppinge of trade again proved a successful public. The Tublecup, Nahaman, and other Nagas was were now carrying or a most part by the traff, with the Tea Cardons, which may could not offere to less, speciffy comment, and in a fertherefore they speces and in thirmy the the residues, and court me by force as strategy two there is actions, who were delivered over to the British Authorities for their than marking in the Tour men proved he belong to the Yungin bleer Neges, a tracele dance who happer the about a have of plender with a craving for challs, had all a smallery war party through we chiefes people's to the plains below; and had, as they cam, actaesed the Phile. Post anone was notices people's to the plains below; and had, as they cam, actaesed the Phile. Post anone was notices people's to the plains below; and had, as they cam, actaesed the Phile. Post such as not not not detailed to the first place. Nothingstonding, however, these casual discrebactors, we can jet say that on the whole. Subsect to be had for many years less trouble from any barbactus actually state of the many coince becomes the Assem.

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this is or cross the border to Moveous, we prove a serve different state of these and though the last few years have mangurated or ora of bayay change, vet still the management of the Angains Ragins is an auxion problem or which much Thought has been spent and many different ht pes been staked, "The country occupied by the ingum Nigas is no ten the north by the Bhunsisi River, on the south by a Light range of monorous, is many the billidary of Manipore. The western we day extend he for as Hossig town The limit of the castern boundary is malethood, but the Dowing River on the north rose somafates the Lots Man in Sibsegue from the are ones. -- (but er. & Wa first ris ted their coming of the Table and Commenced to open a consequent-The met with a most determined. a disconstitutional tests significant through to Novegong. Later on, in the same and In the confession, according a led by a powerful force under Rajid. Grantheer Sing, a plant is seen of record becaugh the little and the Rajah entertained designs of antarquaring a' the trid rates between Assidian and Minispere, than there which be a free path for come, we into his well night kittle intightent will a discretion of the Burish Covernment was first the welldiens to the Malinia Name in 1805, when verials in roads apon villages in Name Caesar aren't aren'tal couries tribe so called dring beyond up Deansiri. So britte was franch of Tight position, the the man appropriately up new control them was Tukarus Ser games, asio protoced fectile Lee our as more about of turns than we write. We then appried to When your rid the Proage Corneling of the Seath were mily year ready on exercise building littles. rathe three the field and our ten withouter new and there but understanded the pages the Millaretries and rive Sergas, the more the Negres correct Comb Cachar.

three thous in 1836, again in 1837, and set typin in 1838, the Augum's Estacked as Augumention was at large's ordered to enter the hills and top these taids. But the financial ordered was rich Burnach countd its presponement, and the only step taken was the space, of No. 1's Caclau to Assault the total anthorities of Triach provide were supposed to me before a finance at the Nagos than sie Superintendent of Caclas.

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. In Jenuary 1-39 abore Suo-Assistant to the Commissioner, Mr. Grange, bed a small force term. Nowgong is to the Augum, hills. The difficulties is encountried were such that no attempt actpunishing the Nama villages could be made by him, out he made de right through the bilissend south out much currents information and the mabits of the propie and their intertribal relations. He ascertained that the communities of Konemah a: White and had been the leaders in the late raids: He induced the Chief of Mozomah to more law. and undertake for himself and Konemah not to molest Brilish territory again. On the whole the result was thought so encouraging, that the local Officers proposed to cousti. there and then a separate Hill District, to embrace North Cachar and the adjoining tract. The Government, however, thought this too expensive and too risky. The tribes were best, It said, left alone. They should be encouraged to trade, and Mr. Grange might visit their hills again in the cold season of 1839-40: and endeavour to establish order among the claus, and put an end to their internecine fends. The second Military expedition had hard time of it. Disappointed of its Munipuri auxiliaries, it was persistently and constantly attacked, and had to read the savages, many a severe lesson ere it succeeded in regaining the plains. For some time after this no raids were made. The Nagas for the first time saw that a British force could march through and through their hills in spite of their utmost efforts to prevent it.

1. April 1840, a Missionary, the Revdi Mr. Bronson, brought forward a scheme for civilising the Angemis by means of Tea cultivation and Mission Schools, to which he asked Government support. The Fovernment of the day was not well affected to Mission Schools. but it authorized the Governor General stagent to spend 100 Rupees m mouth in "furthering objects of practical utility in the Naga country." It would be interesting to see the accounts of this trust. Proposals for constructing a great road across the hills to Manipore were Abrille this time rejected on the score of expense a Lieutenant Biggs, Principal Assistant, was honever authorized to enter the hills and make a leisurely and, if pessible, friendly progress from tallage to village, conciliating the Chiefs by personal intercourse and bringing in hear the people that nameless attraction that the English always that I the, a course over her civilized races. In 1841 Lieutenant Biggs carried out his tour. Lie met with no opposition, Adepôt for salt was at their request opened at Dhemapore. The Dhunsin was fixed as the houndary between the British Districts and the Augami tract. The Government directed that a repetition of these friendly wish. should be made from time by fine, mainly swith a view to the suppression of the stave traffic cacried on by the Augus with the Langule, of Syrin . The boundary Leaveen the Angamis and Munipers was to be settled to prevent monation on that sale, and a real was to be opened to Sumorgeoiting it un the plaite. A nominal pribute was to be taken from the Dingas as soon as they could be brought to consent to its payment. To prange the homeary blemerant Biggs marched across the hills in the cold weather of 1841-12. Etamis agreed with the representati ts of Municipal that "commencing from the upper part of the Tecric River, the western ironine of disapore, the line of boundary formed (1) by the Dootigher Mountain, or that range of hills me which the Moobroo-Hever takes its rise, east on to flie Buraks River, (2) by the Barak River up to where it is mined by the Tappheni Kiver, which flows along the eastern like of the Papolorgonn Hill, (3) by the Taypham Elegan to its more on the Brond range of Mauntains, the the summit or waterpent of the Burrail range on to the source of the Var Biror from a north

from the point to earlie Assaulters the horizon bemany between Humpite and the Assault country." ts./p. - because its daggers Negas and all the Larrier reibes suggest to them . butterness occups the monatainers port north of the boundary love given, and have together need the peopletrature of all the acre of aggression which have been countited of the years in toth to Cachar and Managere. Andly. -- Become along the western portion of the boundary. here proposed, the whole of the villages south of it, which were before near this frontier, having been, from time to time, hestroped by the trebes from the worth, and their inhabitants obliged for protection to locate the sistives farther south, a considerable trust or mountacy are constry in this direction is completely deserted. Seely. - Been see along the portion of the be under here proposed to the cast of Papolongmai the Augumi wibes are separated from the Nagas of Munipore by a lofty me to of mountains, across which little, if my, communrecordent takes places. Muly .- Because one Armippre Government not having a present any control or mallorrey over the villages to the north, and the Angamis not possessing any coffnered over these to the words of this proposed boundary, throughout its whole extent, its .. acondica a gold not disjoin comme od tribes or separate any village from a juristiction to which it the near trached as would be the case were any portion of the country a next of the two structured raid over to the Munipore Government.

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The Arganis, however, seemed anxious at this time to as fivate triendly relations with the authorities at Nowyeng. They came down to the station and endand into agreen sets them y transmiss. It pay yearly tubure, and to abstain from interseeme tends. The chiefs of Komenah and Mozemak more up as old quarted in the presence of our Onlivers, and an accorded as praceful one promising as Government could wish.

To homilist however when an Assistant was sout up to colored the fire poor's topicate. one charle depend have and absorrtely refused to pay. They followed this up in a scripe of droing raids, to rate of which they occupawered. Show out-post and balled most of the segment. It infortion was spendily had by the trad wrongs for these on ealer, but so like discountnamion was shown in the most of its exaction, that Government was competted accounted the 'erm Officers in bowning yillages that might well have been proved. The necessity I occupying the little will, a six agricore & a permanent a course was grade at this time. die assect and an in tradidit contract was not pred; and in April Levil, Capit Burley and d public or and of these aemed conciliancy expeditions and but, because the Book was not approaching these willies. He succeeded in milating that have to count in a mer. him, and they even pade up their taibule in ivery, eleth, win spaces from the Chiefs this fagrant Louiser that they had no real contain over their propie, who had should a and only only the the war-part. The different villages caperies sughr out prote tion, here is were only by and occur es to extremende thou neighbour. Is some over expedient but the life things recommended their rolls on the plant and on in a chier. In 1847 Chipman's Saries against wished the Augabus, and the same bose of equipments, compared present well one dennight or is every im, he were a purious post of the establishment of the printing and it is antive Darogah edica hargola. A. a. hardander dates of the part of the part of the

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a grantafier this no raid most place, and the Logamis resorted freely to Nowgong to have. In 1848-49 raiding accommends and at last the communiting point was reached in the marder of the Darogan Bhogelical.

This man appears to have had ranch personal bravery, but little discretion. He had been constantly urging the establishment of advanced posts, and at length he surce cled 1.1 getting leave to place a goard in one of the villages that was apprehensive of an arrack from a neighbouring community. The policy of medilling at village fends once manger and Phogehand must needs go in person to settle a quarrel in Mozemah itself. Brave to rasin ness he arrested the ringleaders, and was forthwith assailed by both sides. His mediled, leaving him to his fate, and he fell pierced by spears, a victim to his own tout, and police in the prestige of a British Policeman. The Governor General's Agent now reported to Government that if we wished to recover our influence in the hills, we invest system firstly burn all the granar. The crops to enforce our demands for surrender of offenders. The was the Muniquer plan at the Nagas thought much better of them than of us. We marehed up the hells, and may be demanded and he hells, and may be demanded and he hells. No one can estand against is, it is into that we never did not he damage, all the same.

An expedition was now despatched to avenge poor Bhogohand's death, and planers powers of granary burning, in case of armed resistance, were confident to it. In December 1849 it set out, but the Officer in command tell ill. A friendly village which it occupied was burnerwhile the troops were attacking another not far off, and the detachment had to make a hurried retreat. The Nagas celebrated the occasion by a series of raids all found the border. Indications were not wanting that other tribes were becoming uneasy, and that vague feeling of trouble in the air well known to Frontier Officers began to make itself felt. Munipore was said to be fomenting disturbance by, underhand intrigue. Shana of virious seep, were said to be busy in 'he tills. Government forwers, was equal to the occasion. A strong form was assembled on the Assam Frontier. The Governor General's Again was ordered to the spot. The troops were of course absolutely triumphant. They storm it the stockades, burnt the villages, scattered the Nagas like loaves wherever they faced them. And then came the question, what next? What policy was to be adonted towards these mountaineers for the future?

The Supreme Government decided that the policy should be one of absolute more interference. All troops were to be withdrawn. We were to remaine massives to our own
frontier, to protect it as it could and ought to be protested, never to meddle in the totals
and fends of savages, to encourage trade-with them so long as they were peaceful towards as,
and rigidly to exclude them from all communication either to sell or buy on their becoming turbulent or troublesome."

In Mirch 1851, our troops were withdrawn from the hills, and in that year he force than 22 Nago raids were reported, in which 55 persons were killed, 10 wounded, and 148 taken captive. It is true only 0 of these raids were traced to Vogamis, her they were most of them committed in North Caenar by Naga tribes, who would have been easily controlled by an Officer in the Luis, and any way the policy of non-interference was not very successfully inaugurated.

in 1858 the Government consonted to a joint a Buropean Office to the charge of [North-Cadim, to protect our clinque their from the largests of the wilder teless.

deputies to beg our interference and protection. The Governor General upon this decided that we were not justified in calif. I upon Munipore to abstain from working its will among those tribes, as they were not under our protection.

the repeated efforts of the local Officers to induce Government to take once more a clinect part in hill management were starnly repressed. The line of outposts which it had been proposed to occupy was contracted. Punitive expeditions for recent outrages were disultowed: Nothing that occurred beyond the outskirts of our inhabited villages was to receive any attention. Dhemapore was abandoned. Borputhar became our most ad anced guard. The Officer stationed at North Cachar was strictly charged to look upon the Augamis as persons living beyond the jurisdiction of the British Government." For years raids went on, which our frontier posts proved quite unable to check the the Cachar suffered most from the effects of this policy; where the frontier line was access matter of doubt, and the presumption was, that any village attacked lay beyond the boundary. In fact at one time it was proposed by the local Officers almost despainingly to abandon North Cachar itself.

At length in 1862 the Commissioner was constrained to say, "It is not carditable to our thorerment that such atrocities should recur annually with unvarying certainty, and that we should be powerless alike to protect our subjects or to punish the aggressors. It is quite certain that our relations with the Nagas could not possibly be on a worse footing than they are now. The non-interference policy is excellent in theory, but Government will probably be inclined to think that it must be abandoned."

The Inentenant-Governor, (Sir Cool Beadon,) who had then succeeded to office, reviewed afresh the whole question of the treatment of these tribes. He dissented from the policy of interdicting them from trade, which had of late years been usual. It was, he said, not only unsound in itself, but it was a policy which, in regard to a country situated as is that of the Angami Nagas, it is impossible to carry out. He directed that an Officer subordinate to the Deputy Commissioner of Nowgong should be placed in immediate communication with the Nagas. The Chiefs on the border were to be informed that Government looked to them to be responsible for the good behaviour of the villages, and annual stippeds for this Police duty would be paid to them so long as they performed it woul. Written agreements were to be taken to this effect and annual as seats interchanged. The Officer to be appointed to this drive was further ordered to decide any significant voluntarily referred to him, but not to nature to internal athors, at any set for the present. Some delay occurred in bringing this potential enternal athors, at any set for the present. Some delay occurred in bringing this potential enternal athors, at any set for the present. Some delay occurred in bringing this potential enternal athors of conflicting views. There were now the following three distinct lines are personal and each bad its determent.

- and strictly enforce the non-intersector policy of 1851. This was Colonel Hopkinson's view.
- (2.) We might advance into the bills place special Officers in charge, and marhiain them there by force of arms. These were the proposals supported by Colonel Harghton and Major Agnew.

the might, while conducing consolver to the phoins, emigivet, positions relations with the neighbouring class and being their Chief mio supendiary police relations to over solves. This was Sir Corn Bendon's original solvens.

what ardent supporter of the test of these courses, and entering a more supporter of the test of these courses, and entering a more supporter policy was advocated by the Officer, who from the to muc acred for him, act are doc, we are done for over two years. Flatter raids, however, in March and Sprit 1861; forced appeared on the few of North Cachar, and he reported that unless he were allowed to adopt more rigorous measures than were presented to his predecessors he could not guarantee the safely of his Sub-Division. Still the Commissioner was for abandoning the whole hill tract to its fate; or at least for closing the Dwars to all Naga trade. It was necessary now for the Lieutemant-Governor peremptorily to over-rule his representative on the frontier.

Beadon insisted accordingly on a fair trial being given to the policy sketched out in the Beadon insisted accordingly on a fair trial being given to the policy sketched out in the

conceived, there is every reason to suppose these and uses would not have a correct. To a great and a half have been allower to clapse, and reaching has yet been done to give active the orders of Government and though these orders were peremptorily repeated to a subsequent latter, dated 30th July 1863, they have apparently necessary from you no account a wholever. The proposal to receive before these wild tribes and fall back from their neighbourhood whenever they choose to amove us, is one which the Licentener Governor neighbourhood whenever they choose to amove us, is one which the Licentener Governor beautiful for a moment entertain. The practical effect of such a measure would be that in the course of a new years Asson would be divided amongst the Bhatias, Abors, Fagus, Garos, Mislands, and other wild tribes, for expected as Assam is on every side. It perfy outrops are to be tollowed by withernwal of our frontion, we should very specifily find ourselves drived out of the province.

In reply to this the Commissioner entered into an elaborate review of our position in regard to North Cachar and the Nagus, denying that he was houself decidedly averse or taking a more direct control of their country. He, however, pointed our that the democlatic nature of the tribal arrangements among the Argents, the infinite divisions and disputes existing even in a single village, condered it impossible to hope for success from the policy of conciliation who wire proposed by the Government. He admin a that on system of frontier defence that could be devised and a secure section imaging from Taids, s. a. A. country, void of roads, void of supplies, - a country of interminable letts, of vant summings bevered with dense herest save where here and there a special in the ocean of wilderness grevenly a miserance Meeks or Cachari elements, chartpossibly be detentied at every point against a for for whom hill and swarm and finest are resources rathe. Than obstacles? From 1854 to 1115 there had been ninetime Augumi. reids, is which 233 Trush subjects had been killed, wounder, or carried off. Ninety-(no of these unforminates had been so lost entring three years (1854-6), when a chara of our quests was in existence from Berga har to Assaloo connected by roads which were regularly parential. " At rates we should be able to keep the caids of such saviges below a certain maximum, and prevents

their extension to seitled desiries. The (stell enemal of a male blocked, the Crown scane, was reasonable was adventageous when a could be made practically a seitler, and so far a course was reasonable. But note of close schemes would a cours be peace of the frontie. They had become reletered found watering. If Government was proposed to consider a more often on policy be was ready to shoot how it reald best be exceed out. This police had had been ketched by Colonel Transform in 1861 as follows:—He would depute a regardly particularly refer to proceed with a forested not nest than 200 men, and effect a particular magnetic to it the country of a police would first limit of the Chiefs to administration and parameters as as. They Officer would first limit of the Chiefs to administration errors to a solution of the transformation of the first would have protection; while these who refused would be took that we would leave to an the manner of the second of the power to the country of and substitute there would leave to the country of the large second of the power would leave the country of the large second of the power would leave the course has not be took that we would leave the course has the manner of the power would leave the course has the manner of the power would leave the course has the manner of the power would leave the course has the manner of the power would leave the course has the manner of the power who substituted.

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gre expense, and would require a strong force to hold it. It would be further embarking on an unknown sea, for we know nothing of the tribes beyond the Angainst except that they are force and warlike; so that it would be well our acquaintance with them should be inside gradually and peacefully, which it is most certain would not be the case if we began by the same stage the Angainst country of et armis.

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Or error is clearly of opinion that the abandonment of the prairies we held previously to in the unit do withdrawal of our line of from ser pasts of the left bank of the Dhinsin is proved by the events which have since so noted, to have been a grave mistake, and that the early course left us an distance, with the duty we are to the imalitants of the admining factors as well as to the Angelia Nagas themselves, who are form by most be income what if a government, and mable to prove a niv graph of some form by most be income month of a government, and mable to prove a niv graph of some of the factors of the factors of any allage or early a graph of any of the humerous of allages reliableed by the tribe, is in the section and analysis from and brine them and brine them and it is a system of administration sound to their circumstances, and gradually to reclaim them from its reals of tawlessness to those of cover and circumstances, and gradually to reclaim them from its reals of tawlessness to those of cover and circumstances, and gradually to reclaim them from

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Servicery as if the former were not bedieded in the latter. But for the distinct in there is no real ground. The access with the maniform the operated growth Patkoi and Burrait ranges of hills another in a new more in free the operate of the Deling in the exercise east of Assum to those of the Diametrian North Carlor as the beautiful Deliver these east of the beautiful the exercise of count as and Breish India. There is no intermediate enleganders territory, and while the "wild tribes who tanalise the senther, slopes of those range are subject to Bornah and Managore, those who in babit the northern slopes are subject to the British Government." These latter, including the Angami Nagas, are indicated only in the sense that the British Government has refrained from reducing them to practical subjection, and has left them, except at occasional intervals, entirely to themselves; but they have no ereceived or acquired political or territorial independence; and it is clearly open to the British Government in point of right, as it is incumbent on it in good policy, to exercise its sovereign power by giving them the bruefit of a settled administration.

This is the course advocated by all the local authorities, and it is the one which the Lieutenant-Covernor strongly recommends as the only means of establishing peace in this part of the frontier, and of putting an end to the atrocities which have prevailed more or less for the last thirty years, and which a policy of non-interference and purely defensive action is now found to be wholly inadequate to prevent. Even if the right of the British Government were less clear than it is, the existence on its border of a savage and turbulent tribe, unable to restrain its members from the commission of outrages, given up to anarchy, and existing only as a rest and nursance to its members, would justify the Government in the adoption of any recasures for bringing it under subjection no consecut.

"The Lieutement Governor therefore desires entirely to support the recommendation constrained in paragraph. But a 44 of Colonel Hopkinson's letter, the proposes to direct Lieutes, "nart Gregory to a move his head-quarters from Assaion to Samongood's geto abolish Assaion was a Sub-Division, apportioning a part among the districts of South Carling, the Consent "and Jyneah Hills, and Newrong, and constituting the remainder lying on the right bank of the Diansiri, angether with the Angami Naga Hills and the country on both banks of "the River Doyong (a tributary of the Diansiri) a separate district, to be administred by "Lieutenant Gregory as Deputy Commissioner, under the direct orders of the Commissioner, and no longer dependent on the District of Nowgong."

The orders of the Government of India thereon were as follows :--

Lieutenant Gregory may take up the proposed position at Samoogoodting, and do his best by tact and good inanagement, supported by a moderate display of physical force, to bring that portion of the hill tract adjacent to the plains into order. He will remember that our main object in having any dealings with the hill people is to protect the low lands from their incursions. Instead, therefore, of exerting himself to extend our rule into the interior, he will rather refruit from such a course. Subject to this general principle, his hine of action may advantageously be left in great measure to his own good judgment. A conciliatory demeanour will of course be indispensable, and perhaps the expenditure of a little money to leading men will be useful. When conciliation tails, panitive the actions will not be shrunk from. In some instances a blockade of the passes, so as to exclude the offending tribe or village from our bazars, may be attended with good results. But in all cases the great point will be to elect a penalty suitable to the circumstances of the particular

manner, just sufficient for the opening of the country to the extent actually required.

Should the plan thus sketched succeed, and the hill men be gradually reclaimed to our "rule and civilised, without much cost to the British Treasury in the process, it will be a good "work well accomplished. But His Excellency in Council cannot admit that we are bound to attempt more in their behalf than the resources of the empire can reasonably afford."

The Secretary of State cordially approved of all that had been done.

It is not necessary to enter into a detailed statement of the mode in which the arrangements thus approved were carried out." Lieutenant Gregory was ordered to establish himself at Samoogoodting. Assaloo, in North Cachar, was abandoned, save by a small Police guard A road was opened from Dhomapore to the new station. A compact force of 150 Police, all hillmen and well-armed, was placed at Lieutenant Gregory's disposal. Large discretionary powers were entrusted to him of proceeding summarily against villages concerned any gross outrage, and a rough system of judicial procedure was laid down. The vidipuris were not to be allowed any longer to make retaliatory expeditions into the Naga Hills. Measures to redress any outrages committed by Angamis in Munipore were to be taken in concert with Lieutenant Gregory. This was not, of course, to prevent Munipuri treops from following up and punishing any marauding party they fell in with in their own torritory. All Angami Nagas visiting the plains of Assam were to be finnished with passes, by Lieutenaut Gregory, as they passed through Samoogoodting, where they were also to leave their spears.

As if to give emphasis to the change of policy so happily naugurated, the Nagas of the village of Razepemah, in January 1866, cut up a Mekir village in North Cachar, and in March Lieutenant Gregory made a dash with a little force of Police and burnt Razepemah to the ground. In June the Razepemah men, to retrieve their honor made a raid and bytchered twenty-six Mekirs in the village of Sergameha,—a practical proof that a policy of coercion does not always succeed. The rains prevented any immediate steps being taken to avenge this outrage. But it was determined that, as soon as Lieutenant Gregory had fairly established himself in the hills, a salutary lesson should be given to the Razepemah community, while an amnesty for the past was extended to all others. This was accordingly done. The village was raised to the ground; its lands declared barren and desolate for even; and its people, on their making complete submission, were distributed throughout other communities.

Since Lieutenant Gregorystook up his position permanently in the hills their history has been uneventful, because it has been perfectly peaceful. The only measure of importance has been the sanction accorded to a proposal of Lieutenant Gregory's to receive at Samoon goodting residentiary delegates from the various communities, to whom small stipen is will be allowed for acting as interpreters and messengers to their respective Claus.

Before leaving the District of Newgong, we must very briefly mention the other Hill Tracts within its borders. The Rengma Nagas, living in the jungly hills between the Kullianec and the Dhunsiri, were first discovered in 1889, when Mr. Grange came across them on his way to the Angami Hills.

In 1847 a receive solition in was offered out there is a finer visiger, and a house imposed with the consent of the Chiefs. These Reagans because on fast becoming indistinguishable from the people of the grades. There is nothing a matrix apparent political history.

The Mekirs inhibit the low larges of hills extending from the Following on the east to the Jumoona west of Bubboka. They were argunally tributary to the princes of Cachar, Jyntee in and Assam. The Assam. Rajalis gave them grants of land under the hills. They are, ordinarily, an inoffensive people, poving house tax to the British Authorities of Naugong and much devoted to the rearing of page.

In May 1868 a party of Mekirs. From a village on the sources of Julecah, attacked another Mekir village at Marlock Purbut and killed some of the inhab tants. When pursued by the Police they resisted. This was just the time of the Jyntecali disturbances, and enquiry seemed to show that the Jyntecah insurgents had insurgent the Mekirs to this attack, to which they were the more predisposed by certain oppressive proceedings on the part of the native Mouzedar White is the only outrage traceable of Mekirs.

North Ca har has been already incidentally noticed when we were treating of the languard. Nagas, and since its partition among the three Districts of the Naga Hills, Nowgong and Ca har Proper it has lost that distinctive importance which it once possess it as a frontier district. As originally defined, its boundaries were the River Jumoona and Nowgong on the north, the Burrail Range and Cacher on the south, on the east the Dhunsiri and the Kutcha and Angami Nagas, and on the west the Kopili and Compound rivers, and the Cossyah and Jyntocal Hills. In 1839 it was affinesed to Nowgong, and in 1852 it was placed in charge of a separate Officer, whose business them to be order among the Koolties and Nagas dwolling about Assaloo, and to protect them from the raids of the Angami Nagas, In 1865 it was passed in the Romanus of the Ecoaporty's territory was summered to North Cacher, the surviving members of the Remanus of the tract are those.

(i) Hill Cacharles, (2) Hozai Cacharles, (3) Mekirs, (4) Old Kookies, (5) New K okies, and (6) Accord Nagas; relicipay, some a house tax, embers a lite tax, and others good a land, revise Covernments.

Morth Cachar Rockies in Morth Cachar are all hamigrants from the south. The old Knokes say they came north to years ago, in the time of kishen Chewder. Eapsh of Chebar. In 1832-3 a body of moss monthies, when the Chemar Rojah had employed in his confest with Tigeram Schapitry, were found by Colonel Jenkins to have intied in those hills, in a compact well armed one cannot tearing neither Nagas nor any one cise. They were tallowed from time to make it is done to the years 1851-2 about 8,000 entered the district. This Konkie migration from the south was findeabtedly a size of morements in the mile tolories flammal, or which we know little, but which is still going or. The tribes from the south are still positing up by slow degrees, and along the beater of the Charles from the south are still positing up by slow degrees, and along the beater of the Charles from the south are still positing up and and then, signs of the charles that are taking then are which are decrined probable some day to attract more of our no major than we at present these.

Before the triabilishment of the Nago (viril) That we'll, appeals who occasionally read to utilize these Roolies as a sorger type And her table. In product a caperament of this kind was made, and trads were assigned tent they for the coast and also some assigned tent they for the coast and also some and any amountaint were asso given there.

In 1933 de Laureing Colone inguise scriberent was an iede controlord 1.350 incontinuous in seven villages. The Anguins mover evalued to touch ever of these villages, and they did non-very marked extent, seven to protect the less on the communities in their direct grange from a monochuse taken a gas to establish another cold cordon of Kookles, along the fearly of the consus of ibnit the total number of souls of the Consequantomical of their, onto healy of the number of souls as the Consequantomical of their, on the inely of special dig acknowledging their subservice of the British Authorities. Arms however, who may not opened to their new conservice of the British Authorities. Arms however, who may also to the remark of more of the political interest it once post asod.

We share course presently to the District of Cachar itself, and the tellos which duple upon to seathers become. But accarding we shall find it more convertent is, considere one course to be less of which the Angaras tract is but a centralianner, and describe, landly, the relations of our Covernment to the tribes of the Cassyan, Jyntocah, and Castron Hills.

The Constraint Hills note first visited or Enconcerns in Isha Tip to best sime consyntant examples and raids on the pasies of Assau, and first these reconstaineds has been known propositely threaten their cell lines with the British trusps on the side of Spiner. In the year ISSE Terrat. Sing. Bejok of Newskiew, applied to Mr. Scott, the great Prost sessi of the North-Elect, for permission to rep. commin tailes formers Left by him of Assum. Mr. Sec. of consolite grant flow if the Ragul we led madage the Cassynlis to correspot to a load openances arrangly their bids to units tessue and Sylber, and a Secondary being established tished as in my ten . The was at length arranged, and for nearly too years the next free day. relatives provided network she builted duchgrates and the ful Chiefs. This good and the standing were her over speeding medicinated by the insple it speedies and behavior of the The grain made with an accompley of in writing espace to though the race of roud. The respired from a very sold there weath so a me subjected to the paid or an ede to the best been Leadersh own. A gramme constancy was beneat about them to exterestance the year comments and one the in the fit them. Is grather Cossente a cassence of the officients Bringhold and Problem, the only we Burish Officers at Nangicion, which als the minages. A time and harmsome hill a ridge continuously mend an associate by disting irradious of the . taxonism. The plains built of Assembline Sylling. Although on the perty the Cains of the fill extree not reserve the minute on in those one moved hearthouse very most of hory some Principle the Newskie Links and supplied him will be never of reastuace. The thist of Chymine was the only one who suppose willy write a to reside the muticulant acti diares It was not till Johnson 1833 that the Norghit of Charle sarrencered. Fines were

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imposed by the Governor General's Agent on all the State. That had imposed themselves the conflict with the British Governoral.

As repeated by the Agent is 1832, the following was the resilier field by one of the seven principal Cossens Charister.

- . J. Sing Martic of Klayrico, the larger new and or the Chiefs, had also been the most friendly. He missi occurs expents uttages, had hard arosed policyers and para his turnite to Government.
- 2. Within the geographical limits of Khyris stay the villages of his Manie, now known an Molecon. This Chief was based from the first, and some of his tearlitery was taker over absolutely by Government. He was fined Repear 5,000; for which he compounded by paving Rupees 1,000 down, and consmicting a good road from Cherra, via Molecus to his ring. But Manik raied over (wenty-eight villages, bad a fittle army of 400 or also men, and paid no regular tribute.
- 2.009 The me men. The Rajah had since 1822 been practically subscretely to Covernment, and had given in Sythet Arthurtics ground for a Sanstarium are Themse promite it, and no trimue.
- 4. Oneer Stag of Nuring held, besides his will cillages, hands to made Consulpara, park of which was confiscated for a raid made by him in 1831. National used the known is 1830.
 - 5. The Kala sagab of Naspang, ruling over tweety-five villages;
 - The Orlan Bendi of Marrow, also bending twenty here,
- L. Nad the Diorap Rajah of Marram, holding twenty-four villages, complete the list of leading Cologo. Chiefs as then known to as.

The Rentons States were really dittle oligarchical republics, each subject, in some identical ways to the control of the rest, and it was metter if doubt whether the Number was massacre was not partly due to the jestonsy of the cities Carets that Terms Sing had concluded a Fresty with the British Government for himself, from which they were excluded.

The Cossyah States are now-a-days grouped in two classes:

- (1.) The semi-independents five in number, who have aways been initedly or have
- The Pependent State to every in all, many of them very petry, who says a corresponding more subject to the control of the Deputy Commissioner. Practically, however, there is little distinction reads in the manner of treating these two classes. The lendency has of late fears been to corrast materially the manner of the Chiefs, the people reserving freely to our Courts. There is, however, very note a nine of any kind in the Cossyah Hills.

On the conclusion of the war Captair, laster was (in February 1835) appointed. "Political Agent of the Cessyah Hills, with the charge of our relations with the dynamical flugal." Those relations were, however, resumed to andeego a very speedy charge, for in March of the same year the plains of dynamical were annexed to the British Larrapries, and

the light thereupon relicquished his percessions is the him. Ayareen had been unrelied by Bertish roops to long ago as 1975, probably to burish some aggressions it willer, but for many years after that we hear nothing of it. In 1821 the Rajah's neotic were defected carrying off British sequents from Sector to other up as sacrifices at the country of Kali. As that time a solenn warring was given him that any repetition of the outrage weam had to confiscation of his territory. The Burmese was broke out soon after, and the State of Lynteeth was taken under our protection as a measure necessary to secure Sylbet from the Burmese proops. After these troubles were over, in 1 of four British subjects were corned off by the express order of the Rajah's tair. Three of them were sorthed to Kah, the fourth escaping to tell the tale. For the copys we varies enless ourse to proceed the expression of the captus, and at length of the market mark of its displantage amoved the territories of Lyntsoch in the planes. The liegal is he arready been noted, classed to return by how which acreas compactively approaches hereago, and care I to Sylber is a lineal pensioner.

In a 38 the results of a proceupation of the Cussyan and dynamical Hills tere time is more and. The imple character of the Cussyans had to some extent become corrupted by civilization and increased wealth, civil wars of the conditionally districted the contact in clif times had been primoving trade had been as merited an increasing denant for half products had not be the condition of the people, materially, had vasily improved, can ation had taken a start; while two had also map I doe benefits if our position in having obtained an entire constitution of the improved involves times, these asymptotices constantly made into the pions, mardening our subjects and pillaging our charges.

In the Cossyan ribbs are constant preserve of proops at the Sanatsroom had suff mention the expressionary development of teads in the named predictions of the detrier, have prevented any crewist of these meansions. The Cossyahs are keen makes, as I when the stand that in 1850 the value of the expression of their bills aggregated several that in Rupens, we can see how strong are the ties that bind them to good order and hence. It is not necessary to sketch the relations subsisting between the British Officer is the first and in a versons semi-inneperation and in pundent Cossyah Coligis. The quartions that have assent between their restricted proceedure and in small administration. To control the fluropear, population is creted to the bills by commotou or either causes, to regulate the relations between the distribute of Child's, to cleak their proceedings of beliefful ease, and a set as a Court of Appeal to the various indigeness tribunds,—these transmissioner, the Deputy Commissioner.

It will be remembered that when the Rajah of Jyuneah was deprived of his possessions a the plains, he preferred to give up entirely the tract in the hills which was nominally subject to him, and to become a pensioner of Government. This Hill Tract confained nineteen petty districts, lifteen of which were each under a Dolloie of Headman elected by the villagers; the other four heing managed by thirteen hereditary Sirdars.

The only tribute derived by the Synteenh Bajah from the hills was one he-gout from each village, with a few seers of parched rice, and firewood for his annual poojahs. The villages were also beford to outtivate by turns the Raj laids. It is possible that dues levied on Hill produce imported to the plains i much a further source of income. On the resumption of the

Wills by the Provent Government, Som 1835 to 1865, the Sintengs, as the Jys. tembs are welled. were lest aimost untirely to their own divide. The Bollows heard all civil cases to first windout exception, and after lost terms a certain hand, and all crimmal complemes out of a beinous character is which only people of their own rathrees are respectively. Their administration was, however, magisantly corrupt: and they junuaged to secure for thorselves . . most of the Raj lands of which no accurate accounts had been land in Government. No taxes of any kind were imposed by us in the Jyuteesh Elills for many years. The ficture of he-goals continued to be annually paid, and in 1853 credit was given to the others at Cherra for effecting a slightly more favorable, sale of these offerings, than had be a sold theretoined that wear Mr. Mills, who had been deputed to enquire into certain abuses in the Coss, ah Mills' judicial administration, drew attention to the state of the Jynteesh Mills. He pointed out that in 1849 Colonel Lister had suggested the imposition of a house-tax " in consequence of the disposition evinced by some of the people to assert their rades. . pendence." This had, however, been negatived by Government. Mr. Mills strongly arged that the error should be repaired, and a more intimate knowledge of the people acquired by the English Officers. He also advocated the establishment of a Police Thannah . check the lawless proceedings of the Dolloies. Lord Dalliousie quite concerned in these. views. In neighbouring Hill Tracts house-tax was paid, and we were acting unwisely and inequitably in exempting Lyniceal. The Agent, was directed to proceed into the Jyniceah Hills and prepare - full report on Revenue, Civil, and Criminal Justice, and all other waters connected with the lighteen Penitory. A thannah was established at Jowai. Due the mount else was a totally at this time carried out, so far as we can discover.

In 1858 Mr. Alien submitted another claborate report upon the Cosewah and Jyntaesh Hills: After the fallest consideration he came to the conclusion that the Sintengs should be required to contribute scatcilling in affine a ledgment of the supremacy of the Government. He said - it am of spinion that a hight and indivious taxation would contribute to the preservation of tranquillity and good oxier in the Jynteesh Hills. A moderate taxation had a very beneficial effect upon was savagery of the Lurka Coles of the Singhbhoom district of the south-west frontier agency. It was found to make them less turbulent and aggressaive. and more thrifty, diligent, and submissive to the authorities; and I am disposed to think that a very moderate taxation, fixed for a term of years, would in once in conclusion and strengthen the peaceful and industrious inclinations of these wild mountaineers also & He proposed a moderate house tax, to be collected through the village a limitie in pury was also suggested into the condition of the Raj lands, and the abothers of waste of European settlers was discussed. But Mr. Allen insisted strongly on the necessity of stationing a Luropean Civil Officer m. the centre of the tract to administration to the people, and he to them a visible representative of that Generalizer of setting that the element almost nothing. Univitariately, the proposal to levy a house-tax was an other, where the Statengs were left as before to the changement of their Delimies.

In 1860 the house tax was majored, and, within a few months, the people were in open, rebellion. Fortunately, a large force of troops was blose at hand had better the result could make any head, it was statified out, and the villages used into approve submission. It was approved at the time that the exclusion had been in some way into the winds the measurement in the hulls, but to this side little weight chould be attached. For the and every

They never respected the Bajah weile he did rule over them; and the had epochy affrontial his family more than once since his abdication. On the suppression of this partial using measures were taken for the improvement of the administration. The Civil Officer at Cherra was empowered to remove the Delions for musconduct, while at the same time the powers of those finetimeries were increased. All crimes were to be reported by them to the Police, who were not however, to introfers cexalionsly in village affairs.

of Imperial Funce imposed the income tax throughout British India. The local Officer applied to Government to know whether this new impost was to be levied in the insaval and lynter the Hills and if the last named tract was to be affected by it, whether the insaval and lynter the Hills and if the last named tract was to be affected by it, whether the insaval and lynter the Hills and if the last named tract was to be affected by it, whether the insaval and lynter the insaventer was also to be maintained. It was ruled that the house tax was not be given up on account of the income tax, the incidence of the two being not the same, and that the income tax "was to be introduced only in those parts of the hills where taxes had been proviously levied, it. e., in the Jynteeah Territory, and those other villages near the station of Therrapoonjee which belong to the British Government." It seems to have been the belief of Calcutta that, practically, the tax would be inoperative in the hills. Fortunately, the whole of the Cossyah States, except ut, and the loyalty of the Chiefs was not tried by this severe and practical test.

In the lynteend Hills 310 persons were taxed, on whom the whole and main assessed was Rapees 1,259. The highest rate levied and that only in one case, was Rapers). On person paid Enpees 5. I wenty-sevin paid Rhipees 4-8 each; and the rest war axed the minimum amount, Rupees 4 each per amount. The fax for 1860-61 was paid without a murmur. The Deputy Commissioner travelled through the hills in 1860 Af, and again in November 1861 without detecting a sign of disaffection. But the material was all there. The mass of the people had been subjected to the house tax in 1860. The leaders were further brought under the income tax in 1861. There were rundours of pan and trade taxes in the air. What spark actually began the conflagration it is hard to tell. Whether it was the rash talk of some bullying Policeman, or un injudiciously executed order against the use of arms, we do not clearly know. The small number of troops then available gave an opportunity which had been wanting in 1860; and on the 20th of January 1862 the Sintengs rose in fierce rebellion. "A people who had neither been left to their own guidance, nor - i farly hought under ours : upla whom our yoke had pressed with just sufficient force to gett, but not to break into order; who had been denied the book of having our rate. represented among them by an English Officer, and of all our justimations, since had known only our system of Police as illustraced by a themmah on the Bengan model, and our latest Ryminents in taxabler: who, just dier they had men tangle the limm that they could his he compalled to pay an obnextions fax by the applied her of Miffrey Force, an straightway freeher taxed, the means or composition being at the same fine withdrawn, when such a the que ise in rebellium (said the Commissioner or pasi jucto) in may not be difficult to orphan de origin and objects without a reining after reconduce cause.

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made to understand and feel the power of the Government, and have submitted to its authority, is not to leave them in their old state, but, while adopting a shople plan of a possible with existing institutions, to extend our intercourse with them, and endeaved to introduce among them civil ration and order.

An English Officer, with fall powers, was accordingly posted to the Typiceah Hills, where he was personally to reside. Lie was to visit every villago in his jurisdiction at loast. once a year, and, with his subordinates, was to be required to qualify in the Cossyah language aufficiently to dispense with all interpreters. The village Dolloies were to be chosen by the prople, subject to the Civil Officer's approval, and to hold office during good behaviour. With other village officers they were to ferm panelinyets, by thom specified civil and winneral nowers were to be exercised, subject to the revision of the British Officer in important or heinous cases. The Dollbies and Sindars were to be responsible for the Police of their respective jurisdictions, and the Regular Police were only to interfere to repress disturbance or support the authority of the Dolloics. Proceedings were to be viva vace as far as possible Education was to be liberally encograged: the Wolsel Mission already established in the birts being made the instrument of its extension. The country was to be thoroughly opened up by eight lines of road, aggregating in length 218 miles. The income tax had been virtually withdrawn by the Act repealing it on all sucomes below Rapces 500 a year. The beneater was of course to be retained, due care being taken that no inequality or injustice was allowed in its assessment.

On these general principles the adicinistration of the Juniceal Hill has been referred, and the policy of direct management, by resident European Officers, has, here, as in the Nage Hills, proved successful. Cossyah and Junteean are probably now the most secure of all our Hill Districts.

West of the Cossyah are the Garrow Hills. There appears, herever, to heditle or no intercourse between their inhabitants. Our communications with the Carrows have been entirely from the sides of Cow Course and Momentaing, and they are the first of the Assam monotonic tribes with whom we exceed in contact. Our showledge of them dates from our occupation of Rungpure and Momentain.

The chief earlier starces of authentic information in regard to the Garrow kind are-

- (1) A paper by Mr Elliot in the 3rd Volume of the Asiatic Researches.
- (2.) Reports on the Rabdari ductes of Sherepore and Sheering by the same gentleman, duted 1189.

- An account by Dr. Buchguan, the substance of which appears in Volume 3
- (U) A Report by Mr. Sissur in 1845.
- (3) A Report by Mr. Scott in 1810.

great estates, held for the most part by their original owners, who, while paying a small tribute to the Muhummadan Poujdar of Rungamatty as acknowledgment of walty, were, on all intents and purposes, independent. They were bound, in fact, martiful to apply a certain number of elephants, or a small quantity of aginur, a precious word, to support certain petty garrisons, and to contribute to the maintenance of the Dacen Artiflery Park. Their estates were never subjected to a land revenue assessment. They paid what the did pay from Sayer' and not from 'Mal.' The Poujdar generally made advances on account of cotton to these great Choudries, as the Zemindars were called, and received from their yearly consignments of that article; but as no account was ever taken of the Foujian collections so long as he paid the stipulated assignment at Proca, these transaction were curried in their for the benefit of nimself and the Choudres, at Proca, these transaction were curried in

The Choudries of Kurribari, Kalou calcaptra, and Meeaspara, for Neelpana in that part of Rungpore now called Gowalparah, were the chief landholder of this kind at the time of our accession to the Dewani. They held of the low country under the Gorow fields on that side, and it was their principal duty to repress the incursions of the savage tribes of the uniform, who even then were a course of terror to the activation of the plain. As all the colter, then the standard true internal astoric trade, came from these lifts, the Chounges had established at all the minimal passes buts or markets quarded by their Burthurdages, to which the low country merchants, with their permission, resorted, and it which they extorted from more hants and Garrows, alike, dues either in kind or cash, which formed one of be usen sources of their income. It would appear that at this early period the Chounges had not attempted to scenre any footing in the hills, save perhaps on those outlying and lower spurs which intersected their own estates.

After our accession to the Dewani, things continued in this neighbourhood on much the same botting as hefore. A Sezawai was annually appointed who continued to pay the Government demand, making his own arrangement with the Che africt. This left them as independent as before, and up to the year 1191 (B.S.) i.e., A D 1787-88, we find that there revenue was always paid in conton.

In 1182-85 (1775-76) the Chaudries of Mecaspara and Kurribari, to avenge some Grant and Lucia Lian usual security, invaded the hills bordering on their respective estates and er cred on a career of conquest. They remained wo or three years in the chilis, and brought the tribes of a targe tract entirely under their control. The great chief of the southern part of the hills (hengha) became in course of time subject to Kurribari. This brought the Choudrie of Kurribari into conflict with the Choudrie of Sherepore in Mymensing, for Renghta's people had been in the habit of trading at the hits of Sherepore and Shoosung. The Zemindar of Kurribaris Mohendronarem Choudrie, was not he man to brook Sherepore interferences. He built forts in the passes, on the Mymensing side, to stop

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The establishment of strongly fortified posts served to secure, for the Hill Tracts; but in March we find the Kookies attacking the March willages to the south, and advancing to within eight miles of Brindalian itself. The Powig Rajah, to whom the defence of this part had been for years chirasted, was called upon strengthen his posts. But anything that he could do was lamentably insufficient. During the Whole year the frontier was in a state of constant panic large tracts of country are deserted by the Joomen cultivators, and it seemed as if nothing that our Police and Troops could their would secure their from attack. The wild and unknown country from which the savages came, the trackiess jungles and rockstrewn to rent beds from which they would auddenly emerge, and into which they would, on the first symptom of attack, regions rendered helpless the best efforts of our men to pursue them, as it was also impossing the foresec their advance.

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It failed as a policy—signally failed. Rate seems determined to prove that there shall be no rest for the English in India till they stand forth as the governors or advisors of each tribe and people in the land. As regards the Nagas, this fact, doubtfully at times forescent while policy, direly new and again foreshadowed,—was grasped firmly and carried forward personally by the late Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal. Direct-control, personal influence a noinatory of intercourse,—supported at the same time by adequate strength,—these were the measures Sir Cecil Beadon never ceased to advocate as the only possibly successful policy in dealing with hill tribes. Among the Augamis, this system has hitherto promised well; and though it to be hope that all our difficulties are over; there is still sufficient encouragement to Construct to the hope that all our difficulties are over; there is still sufficient encouragement to Construct to the hope that all our difficulties are over; there is still sufficient encouragement to Construct to the procedure of th

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This result was reported to Government in my letter to Mr. Secretary Barmson's Live No. 1929 at the 17th April following was conveyed the expression of the entire satisfactor and approval of the Home the President in Council in regard to those providing.

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2 See Captain Butler's report No. 2 of 1 2 10th February 1847, forwarded to Rovemment with my letter No. 16 of the 25th March 1847

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The Lienton of Courties Sir E. Hahaley) replicat to this by the faileding others (dated 20th Novembur): -

You have explained in your hoter No. 10, dated the little of June, then the benefity which you spoke of in your provious letter no. 27 of the 23th March, regarding which the Supreme Government requires an explanation, was a live adopted by Captain Pemberies, and the Political Agent at Manapore many years back as the boundary of the Manapore of the Political and a paragraph 7 of the anne effect you have referred to certain orders of the Supreme Covernment in 1811 as affording warrant for speaking of the Augumi Nagar as telling for his our protection, regarding which expression the Supreme Covernment at all a supreme explanation.

e With a forence to your explanators on these points, and to the opinions which you grade now expressed, the Lieutenant-German has referred to much of the previous correspondence regarding the Augusti Nagus and has more especially period with attention the correspondence which passed between sourself and the Supreme Congrumnal in 1850 and 1851."

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"You express, it is true, a strong conviction that it is not possible to maintain the position towards these tribes which the Government desires to mantain, and at the wante time to prevent them from makeria invoads upon our subjects. But the Lieutenant Germann cannot admit that there is it present evidence of any real and carnest endeavour having been - made to establish, with re-pectato the Naga tribes, the policy which the Government has difficil. He does not alber from the correspondence which has been before him what opening measures have har a relocated and what pains have then taken to explain to the Naga Thoras the position which we desire to hold towards there, as indicated by the order-given to you in 1851; he the Lieutennit-Seyemur's openion your personal action and Indianer should have been becaucht to hear in this au tier, for those can harding over been, during the but ien years, any days develving upon the eiffice which you had more unportant than the plantment of our relations with the wild and heady tribes who harder upon our Eastern to make. And in spring this, the Lieutenant-Trocking clock not desire in muchal that new at Grescost suffermed he is not able to feel satisfied that the part of your day has received that there of pone remail interest and attention which the great importance assurably . demonstral. The double whother is has not been left from much in the preidured of proper Mr. We of the agency, whose entry and wal, however The and bowless pressewarthy, dothe state of the s

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